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This vicious anti-labor measure would outlaw every labor union in the state. Let's go . . . let's defeat the bill by registering and voting in November.

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HOLD THE PHONE

by BILL WILLIAMS

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Don't take this lying down.

The Big Shot—

It looks as if John L. Lewis, the former "big shot" of the CIO is about ready to take another "powder" on the boys around the congress of industrial organizations.



John, not quite as powerful as he thinks, is preparing the stage for a walk-out from the "rebel" group, which he founded some six years ago.

First indications come from the fact that John and his united miners, the group he rules with an iron hand, has not paid per capita tax to the CIO for several months. Secondly, John did summons all his lieutenants before him and demanded that they declare themselves for him or Phil Murray, now president of the CIO.

Yes, from all indications, as predicted time and time again in this column, the CIO is about ready to bust up, for they can't last without the support of the UMA.

In most localities they are folding up fast . . . returning to the AFL where they belong.

It Isn't Fair—

Every time an organization holds a benefit for something or other, the first question that comes to the minds of the sponsors is: "Can we get a band free?"

If they can't, the first thing they do is to try and give the musicians the works, by cheap publicity in the press or by word of mouth.

These same people, some bankers, some well-known community leaders, some employed by charitable organizations, wouldn't turn a hand for anyone unless they were paid a handsome sum of American dollars.

They never stop to think that the musician is called upon thousands of times to donate his services . . . they never stop to think that the musician, like you and I, must earn his living . . . and a musician earns his living by playing music, not for nothing, but for the same American dollars the others receive for their services.

Musicians of the U. S. have donated "top-notch" bands to practically every army camp in America; they have donated services to navy relief associations; the red cross; civilian defense and thousands of other places . . . and with all this they must make a living besides.

Some people, such as those in Berkeley the other night, will try to make the musicians look ridiculous, but they are only small frogs in a big pond seeking the "cheapest type" of publicity.

Besides their contribution of personal service, the musicians international union has purchased $800,000 in U. S. bonds; Local 6 of the bay area purchased $25,000 worth of the bonds.

I wonder if the Berkeley promoter can match the above?

FDR Condemns "All Work No Play" Program—

All work and no play not only makes Jack a dull boy, but also makes poor defense workers. That, in substance, was the opinion voiced this week by President Roosevelt when he declared that the war effort "must not be hampered by lack of healthy recreational pursuits."

Experience has shown, the president emphasized, that human beings cannot do their best work without vacations and recreation.

YES SIR . . . IT'S THERE!

If you're looking for the "We Don't Patronize" list, it's on page 4, this issue. Read it thoroughly and don't patronize the firms listed thereon.

DEMAND THE UNION LABEL

State Labor Continues Fight For Captured Wake Island Employes and Dependents

New Bill Drawn to Provide Compensation For Captured Island Employes Presented to Congress

A far-reaching precedent that will affect the entire American labor movement throughout the war will be established in the near future when the fight, initiated and led by the California State Federation of Labor to have the captured civilian employes on Wake, Guam and other islands, and their dependents, taken care of, reaches a final conclusion.

The significance and scope of this fight is just now becoming clear as the federation drives ahead with its campaign to clear up the confusion surrounding the whole question and to secure federal legislation to protect not only these workers and their dependents, but others who may be captured in the future in other outlying places where work will have to be done under similarly hazardous conditions.

Reports received by the state federation reveal that a great number of congressmen and senators have been of the opinion that H. R. 6446, which was passed by both houses and signed by the president, takes care of construction workers formerly employed on Wake island. This is absolutely wrong. All H. R. 6446 does is to provide compensation for the members of the armed forces and civil service employes of the government who have been captured by the Japanese. So that the imprisoned construction workers and others in the same category would also be taken care of, the California State Federation of Labor recommended that a new bill be drawn up to extend the same privileges to these men. Senator David I. Walsh, of Massachusetts, has introduced this bill, which is S. 2329.

In order that this bill will receive the maximum support from labor, the California State Federation of Labor has circularized all of the state federations of labor in the United States, soliciting their support, and asking them to have each of their affiliated unions telegraph the senators and congressmen of their respective states urging favorable action on S. 2329. Prior to this, the federation sent letters to every member of congress, enclosing briefs and arguments for the support of the federation-sponsored bill whose passage will not only rectify a grievous wrong, but will place the United States government squarely behind every man who in the future will leave his home and family to perform work vital to the winning of the war in distant and dangerous places.

Produce Results

The federation's intervention into this situation has already produced immediate results. Another check for $100.00 has been mailed by the navy to the dependents of the imprisoned Wake island employes, and steps have been taken to continue relief payments by the social security service until federal legislation now pending takes care of the matter adequately and permanently.

Remember: In February the dependents of these men were notified by the contractors that the $100.00 check being sent them was to be the last. After the federation stepped in and started its vigorous campaign in behalf of these people, a complete change of attitude occurred in Washington regarding the whole problem.

Support Growing

That labor has many friends in both houses of congress has been amply and inspiringly demonstrated by the wide response received from the members there to the federation's briefs. Latest reports indicate that support for S. 2329 is growing.

From the moment it realized that the issue was national in scope, the California State Federation of Labor unhesitatingly threw all its resources into the fight for these employes and their dependents and awakened labor all over the country to its full implications. Because no laws have ever existed to meet such a situation, it was mandatory that such legislation be enacted at once. It goes without saying that the California State Federation of Labor is proud that it has had the opportunity of taking part in this effort.

CENTRALIZED MANPOWER ALLOCATION URGED BY "AMERICAN FEDERATIONIST"

A "centralized policy" to assure proper allocation of manpower between the armed services and industry is urged in the March issue of the American Federationist, official monthly magazine of the American Federation of Labor.

"With the additional induction of more than 2,000,000 men under way," says an article in the Federationist, "it is important that the democratic principle of the selective service act be so applied as to make a wise division of manpower between the armed forces and industry."

The article, entitled "Manpower for War," continues:

"To date the administration of the selective service act has been decentralized. Conflicting decisions have been made by the individual local draft boards. By their very nature local boards are neither sufficiently informed nor equipped to assume final responsibility for decisions on deferments for industrial needs.

"The problem is not local but national and policies with which it is met should also be national. There should be a single centralized policy governing all inductions into the armed forces and all deferments necessary to meet industrial labor requirements."

The huge task of manpower administration is four-fold, says the article, listing the points as follows:

1—Proper allocation of manpower between the armed services and industry. "We must equip our armed forces with the best fighters and at the same time provide our war industries with every qualified worker needed for war output."

2—"Efficient channeling of labor supply to war industry in a way which would reduce to a minimum the job dislocation and unemployment arising from conversion."

3—"Provision of emergency compensation to those unemployed because of war dislocation, the payment of transportation expenses and other measures necessary to assure workers' security in the transfer to war jobs."

4—"Adjustment and training of manpower to the best use in war industries."

"To accomplish this entire task quickly and well," says the Federationist article, "we must have, above all, a unified, efficient and representative manpower administration.

"There are now some twenty agencies, scattered in several departments of the federal government, which attempt to deal with the problem independently, without coordination and often at cross-purposes.

"Manpower administration calls for a single integrated policy and a single integrated administrative framework."

"BUY FROM UNION CLERKS" IS SLOGAN OF STATE UNIONS

Buy from "Union Clerks" is the new and effective slogan to be added to organized labor's "Buy Union Label." The new slogan was adopted at the semi-annual convention of the California state council of retail clerks in Fresno.

The fight to organize the salespeople in California has been an especially difficult one. Not only has there been active opposition from many employers and anti-labor bodies, but also a lack of appreciation of organization from many of the clerks themselves.

Whenever you go into a store to buy anything, remember that if you ask for a union clerk, you will be helping the clerks, as well as organized labor throughout the country. "Buy Union Label" becomes many times more powerful when you also "Buy from union clerks."

UNION LABOR AND "HAM AND EGGERS" MEET IN JOINT SESSION SUNDAY

Speakers to Explain "Hot Cargo" and Payroll Issues

In the Oakland auditorium theatre Sunday, a joint meeting between organized labor and the "ham 'n eggs" group will take place.

Union labor, in a political alliance with the Payroll Guarantee association, will tell their story to the public.

The meeting will be open to the public, with several outstanding speakers listed on the program. Meeting will convene at 2 o'clock.

Alameda county union labor and the Payroll Guarantee association joined this week in an invitation to all citizens of the east bay area to attend this mammoth mass meeting.

There will be music and entertainment at 1:00 p. m.

ANOTHER MEETING SCHEDULED

On Saturday, March 28, at 2:00 p. m., all secretaries and business representatives of AFL unions in Alameda county will gather at the Oakland AFL building to hear an outline of the 1942 campaign against Senate Bill 877, hot cargo and secondary boycott bill.

At this meeting the special committee appointed by the central labor and building and construction trades councils, to handle the campaign, will make its report.

All AFL unions are urged to send delegates to this important gathering.

Food Groups Form Council

To Coordinate Activities Under One Head

AFL unions in Alameda county, handling food products, formed a food council recently, and in cooperation with the central labor council will endeavor to adjust all disputes and difficulties arising in the food industry.

Affiliated with the newly formed council are the following organizations:

Retail Food Clerks' Union, Local 870; Milk Wagon Drivers, No. 302; Retail Delivery Wagon Drivers, No. 518; Bakery Wagon Drivers, No. 432; Butchers' Union, Local No. 120; Bakers' Union, Local No. 119; Bakers' Auxiliary, 119-A; Candy Workers, 119-C; Cracker Bakers, No. 125, and dairy and creamery workers' union.

Purpose of the council is to coordinate all activities of the food groups under one head, thereby bringing to a minimum all difficulty that may effect the food industry from time to time.

Heading the organization is William E. Franklin of the milk wagon drivers' union; Otto Muschner, bakers' union, is vice president and James Suffridge of the food clerks' union, secretary.

The council meets the fourth Thursday of each month.

Municipal Workers Make Appeal To A. F. of L. Unions

Withdrawal Card of Local Must Be Recognized

Oakland city employes have been granted a charter by the American Federation of Labor as the State, County and Municipal Employes' Union, Local No. 362; the charter was granted September 25, 1941.

The union, an affiliate of the central labor council and the California State Federation of Labor, is appealing to other AFL unions not to accept employes, leaving the city service, unless they can produce an honorable withdrawal card from the municipal workers' union.

"We are making this request," said a communication from the union, "because of the fact that a small minority of city employes have refused to affiliate with the union and in the meantime are seeking employment in shipyards and other places, under AFL contract, with the hopes of gaining admission to these unions without the slightest difficulty.

"Some of these workers have, and are continually, opposing our union. They now see an opportunity to 'cash in' on 'big money' and want all the privileges of other AFL members.

"It is the hope of this union that no city employe be given admission to an AFL union until the proper withdrawal card is issued by the city, county and municipal workers' union of Oakland.

This request is similar to the request made recently by the fire fighters' union of Oakland. Local unions have promised their undivided support in this important matter.

State Federation News Flashes

In the case of People v. Porterville, in Redding, which deals with the ordinance restricting the activities of union organizers, the receipt of habeas corpus is returnable April 6th before Superior Court Judge Albert F. Ross, to show cause why the ordinance should not be declared void. The attorney for the California State Federation of Labor is handling the case.

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In San Gabriel where there is a similar ordinance, the prosecuting officers are awaiting the decision of the Redding case.

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Palm Springs has also passed a repressive ordinance of this kind and which will undoubtedly be affected by the Redding case decision. No arrests have been made as yet so the degree of enforcing this ordinance cannot be determined.

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In Susanville, the case of Coffin v. Retail Clerks, involves an ordinance which forbids picketing for a closed shop contract. The pickets are courting arrest but none have been made so far.

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In Modesto, the case of Vandeleur v. Modesto, an order to show cause why the Modesto "Hot Cargo" ordinance should not be declared void was returnable yesterday before Judge A. L. Pierovich of Amador county.

As in all the other cases, the California State Federation of Labor is taking care of the legal work.

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The recent decisions handed down by California courts banning violent picketing did not include one single A. F. of L. union. Only CIO organizations were involved.

War Production

NOT A STRIKE IN WAR PLANTS, SAYS SENATOR GUFFEY

United States Senator Guffey, (D., Pa.) announced recently he had been informed by the war department and the war production board that "not a single man is on strike in any plant in the country whose production is important or essential to war effort."

The senator said he wanted this fact noted because Senator O'Daniel of Texas had read to the senate several telegrams urging legislative action to end strikes in war industries.

There were 68 cases, involving 273,439 workers pending before the war labor board, Guffey said he was informed. In none of these, he said, was any person now on strike.

Meanwhile, organized labor leaders assailed a bill for government registration of unions and of trade and business associations as a type of "petty sniping" patterned after fascist practices, and argued it would breed disunity in the war effort.

William Green, president of the AFL, sent a statement to the house judiciary committee, recording opposition to the proposal.

Being a booster for the union label reflects pleasantly upon the prestige of anyone whether a trade unionist or not.

FDR Upholds 40-Hour Week

President "Emphatically" Against Change of Hours

Franklin D. Roosevelt, president of the United States, spoke out emphatically, Tuesday, against the proposals to repeal the statutory 40-hour week and overtime pay provisions as renewed demands for such action were made in both houses last week.

The president put his foot down on both proposals at a press conference, stating that things are going pretty well now and that there has been "an amazing state of public misinformation" on the problem.

Expression of his views followed a call from William Green, president of the A. F. of L., and other labor leaders, at which labor's no-strike pledge was renewed.

Work Longer Hours Now

President Roosevelt, authorizing direct quotation of his remark about "misinformation," referred to the erroneous notion that the law flatly forbids work in excess of forty hours a week—an impression people had received, he said, from things they read and from speeches in congress.

The chief executive explained that nearly all munitions plants are working more than forty hours weekly except where materials are unavailable and that it has been the rule of this country for a good many years—almost a national standard in industrial plants—to pay time and a half for overtime.

Painters' State Conference to Meet In Bakersfield

The sixth annual convention of the California state conference of painters will be held in Bakersfield, April 10-11-12. Convention headquarters will be the Motel Inn on highway No. 99, south of the city. All affiliated local unions of the brotherhood of painters are asked to send delegates to this convention, as many important issues will be taken up.

One of the many plans is a monthly magazine to be printed for all painters affiliated with the conference, giving state-wide coverage of news items of interest and importance to the painters. Resolutions are invited from all local unions. Any further information relative to this convention can be obtained from Al Wahlberg, second vice president of the conference.

Bakers Meet Here Tomorrow Night

Oakland Bakers' Union No. 119 will meet in regular monthly meeting tomorrow (Saturday) night in Odd Fellows' hall, 410 11th street.

Meeting will convene at 6 o'clock sharp, President Fred Wolpert announced.

Failure to attend this meeting will mean the enforcement of the special assessment, Wolpert said.

All members are advised that important matters will be discussed and it is urgent that all members attend.

LABOR-SAVING DEVICES MAY CAUSE MISERY

BIG AFTER-WAR PROBLEM; LIVING SCALE FOR AMERICANS HIGHER THAN EVER KNOWN IS ONLY SALVATION

Under the impact of the defense program, labor-saving devices are being installed in industry at an amazing pace and productivity of workers is breaking all records, a special study by the department of labor disclosed recently.

This tremendous gain in speed of production will be a great help in the prosecution of the war, but when peace comes it may result in terrific "technological unemployment," the department's report declared.

Large scale production methods "are being used in the manufacture of more and more defense items" and the assembly line has been adapted widely for the manufacture of planes, tanks and other large-scale implements of war.

Experience Not Needed

Mechanization is so simplifying manufacturing processes, the department explained, that many defense industries are finding it possible to put thousands of "green hands" at work after little more than a few days' training, and in some cases after a few hours.

This trend, it was pointed out may reduce the government's early estimates of manpower needs to carry out production goals.

Some of the most amazing advances in cutting down production time have been made in aircraft through introduction of assembly line methods, the report showed.

Labor Output Doubled

At Vultee Aircraft in California, in half the time previously required, training planes are being turned out. At the Wright Aeronautical corporation in Paterson, N. J., the output of aircraft engines has been increased six times, but manpower has been only trebled. Similar step-ups have occurred in other plants.

In firearms marvelous progress has also taken place. The report cited the fact that a part of the rear sight of the Garand rifle, which used to take four minutes to produce, now is completed in 27 seconds.

Power-driven machinery tightens nuts or bolts 60 times faster than by previous hand processes. Electric arc welding methods have boosted productivity 25 per cent over gas welding.

Leave Permanent Imprint

Scores of other speedier processes are set forth in the report, which stresses the fact that "the new production techniques developed under the stimulus of the defense program will leave a permanent imprint on our manufacturing economy."

These superior manufacturing methods, if applied to post-defense production later, could bring about "a scale of living higher than ever before," the department said, and added:

"But there is a threat with this promise. If we fail to achieve higher production levels, fewer man-hours of labor than before will be required in industry, and widespread unemployment or share-the-work efforts on an unprecedented scale will result.

"Thus the technological changes which are contributing so effectively to the effort to preserve our way of life may tomorrow present us with a stern challenge."

AFL STAFF ALLOTS PAY FOR BONDS; DRIVE ADVANCING IN ALL UNIONS

Employes on the staff of the American Federation of Labor at its Washington headquarters authorized the federation to make deductions from their weekly pay for purchases of defense bonds which will aggregate $20,000 a year.

This is in line with the nation-wide AFL drive for the purchase of a billion dollars worth of defense bonds by its five million members during 1942.

The payroll deductions subscribed to by members of the AFL staff ranged from 7 to 15 per cent of their pay.

Meanwhile, reports continued to pour in from AFL affiliates indicating steadily increasing defense bond purchases by AFL affiliates and their members.

Hugo Ernst, secretary-treasurer of the hotel and restaurant employes, announced that sixteen local unions in New York and Brooklyn have pledged the purchase of $1,125,000 in bonds by their members. In addition, the international union has bought $200,000 worth of bonds and local unions have invested another $200,000 in bonds.

The upholsterers' international union announced in Philadelphia a program for the purchase of $5,000,000 in bonds by its members in 200 local unions in the United States and Canada by means of a five per cent payroll allotment plan.

The international brotherhood of bookbinders reported union purchases of $75,000 worth of bonds and individual subscriptions by its office force of $6,500.

The boot and shoe workers' union announced purchase of $135,000 in bonds besides large amounts bought by members.

The air line pilots' association, a small union, invested $40,000 in defense bonds in addition to individual purchases by members.

Democrats Change Annual Meeting To Claremont Hotel

The annual dinner-meeting of the Alameda county democrats has been changed from the non-union Whitecotton hotel in Berkeley to the hotel Claremont, according to information received at the local labor headquarters.

Union labor protested the holding of the annual meeting in the non-union hotel. The committee in charge of arrangements yesterday transferred to the union Claremont hotel.

BUILDING TRADESMEN TO HOLD JOINT MEET WITH CONTRACTORS

A joint meeting of all representatives of unions affiliated with the Alameda County and Contra Costa County Building Trades Councils and representatives of the associated general contractors will take place during the coming week, according to J. C. Reynolds, business manager of the local building trades council.

The representatives will discuss, Reynolds said, a uniform overtime rate on all defense and other jobs within the jurisdiction of both counties.

"It is imperative that all representatives attend this important meeting when called upon to do so," Reynolds said.

Special Meeting Of Laundry Drivers' Union Sunday

A report of the negotiating committee will be made Sunday when the membership of Laundry Drivers' Union, Local No. 209, meets in special session.

Meeting is called for 2 p. m. in St. George hall, 25th and Grove streets.

The regular non-attendance assessment will be invoked at this meeting.

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BY KOPKE: **Our First Problem**—The United States, along with our good allies, are involved in a real life or death struggle to preserve our way of life . . . our democratic ideology. That, win or lose, we will know we have been in a battle is accepted by everyone. And even though they call it a war of machines, we know that millions of men, women and children will be killed or mutilated before the peace dove reigns again. Every American has already resolved that we must win the peace, regardless of sacrifice.

That's where our first problem comes in . . . "regardless of sacrifice." One thing Americans are unanimous in . . .to wage the war, to win the war, the U. S. must spend billions of dollars and lose innumerable lives. That, we all agree must be done. The war will take sacrificing by the people of the U.S.A. But . . . and what a "BUT" it is developing into, when these millions of Americans agree that the people must sacrifice, they individually, in too many cases, eliminate themselves. That should not be so, it can't be so, it won't be so, if we are to win the victory.

Work To Be Done

Any honest person . . . with any production insight, will admit that there is still much to be desired from management, from machines, from labor. Management is lethargic, is not even up to the standard called for by private competition. Machines are lying idle most of the day. Labor has much unexpended power waiting to be released. These three make up the "soldier behind the soldier at the front." They make up a foundation that needs strengthening.

One employer is afraid to cooperate with Uncle Sam because he knows it would leave him wide open to his competitor . . . or would hurt his business after the war. A very few businesses are unfortunately controlled by those whose God is money, whole flag is the dollar bill. And the worker, knowing of the huge profits made by these companies, and hurt by seriously rising living costs, is determined to get his share.

And so, instead of everyone sacrificing to win the war, we have too many trying to profit by it. A turnabout in thought is needed. We need the spirit, the determination that motivated Washington's barefooted Valley Forge militia men. We need the spirit and determination that is sending our soldiers, sailors and marines to death or victory every day . . . yes, even today.

Pull Together

What is their spirit?

Listen to this true story . . . of an American boy that enlisted in the U. S. navy recently. His mother received a letter from her son telling her that he had volunteered for submarine duty. That's man's work any day. In the meantime the young fighter had studied for and passed with flying honors the test for aviation mechanics. His mother wrote in one of her letters that she wondered when her son would have time to do some studying so that he could continue on with his schooling after the war. His answer: "Mother, don't you realize the seriousness of the war? Studying for school, like the other usual things of everyday life are out the window. There's only one thing we think of and talk about and do here . . . that's preparing ourselves to be better fighters than the enemy."

When the rest of America gets the same spirit then things will really begin to roll. We won't need Henderson or Ickes or Morgenthau whipping us into line. We'll push together, we'll pull together, we'll win together as Americans fighting a common enemy should.

Sayings of the Sages:

A grain does not fill a sack
But it helps its brothers.

BYE NOW

Doctor—Nurse, you're been with that handsome patient in 408 over an hour.

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Participating in the launching of the American Federation of Labor's campaign for the purchase of a billion dollars' worth of defense bonds by its five million members in 1942 are President William Green, James L. Houghteling, director of the national organizational division of the treasury department, and Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau, Jr., who called the AFL pledge the largest from any group in the country.

Nelson Ends Bids For War Contracts, As Recomended By A. F. of L. Survey

GREEN PLEDGES FULL SUPPORT IN COMMITTEE PLAN

Competitive bidding was abolished as a prevailing practice in the placing of military supply contracts by order of War Productions Chief Donald M. Nelson.

Immediate delivery and increased production of wartime goods are more important factors right now than haggling over cost, Nelson emphasized.

The new plan carries out recommendations made to the government a month ago by the American Federation of Labor's Monthly Survey of Business.

The survey urged that war contracts be let by negotiation or allocation. It pointed out that competitive bidding is now impractical and wasteful. Many factories submit bids for the same contract, the survey explained, and their work plans are held up until they learn the awards. Efficient mobilization of available industrial capacity is thus thwarted by competitive bidding.

President William Green of the American Federation of Labor hailed Nelson's action. He said:

"By this order you have ended a bottleneck that made for delays in war production and brought unemployment to hundreds of thousands of workers. Unless we make full use of small plants for simpler production as well as the large ones for the more complicated work, we shall not be able to get adequate supplies whenever our troops may need them."

Mr. Green also gave the full endorsement of the American Federation of Labor to Nelson's suggestion for the creation of joint management committees in each plant working on war contracts.

"This," Mr. Green said, "is in line with our long-established practice of union-management cooperation. Local committees under the leadership of their union representatives will give you wholehearted cooperation that can be achieved in no other way.

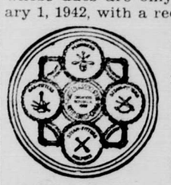
"Your suggestion obviously grows out of practical understanding of the experience of those who control the machines and handle materials in carrying out work orders.

"I offer you the cooperation of the five million of wage earners in the American Federation of Labor who are eager to do their utmost to give the armed troops the munitions and the tools of war."

Mr. Green conferred with Administrator Nelson and pledged him the full aid and assistance of organized labor in the nation's efforts to step up war production.

PLUMBERS TO MEET MARCH 25

BY S. J. DONOHUE: As a convenient reminder, quarterly statements have been mailed to members of the union whose dues are only paid to January 1, 1942, with a request that they be paid on or before the 25th of the month which is the date of our next meeting. In addition to carrying out the usual policy of notifying the members who are in their third month to impress upon their minds the necessity of paying their dues before the end of the month to avoid the pre-dating of the payments on the cash sheet that is sent to the general office following each meeting which is the duty of the financial secretary-treasurer.



In order to comply with a request from our general office asking the local union to notify them of the amount of defense bonds purchased by each local union and its individual members and to do so at the earliest possible date, post cards are being mailed to the members asking them to fill in the amount of bonds or savings stamps that they have purchased. Your immediate attention to this request is needed.

The next regular meeting of the local union will be held on Wednesday evening, the 25th instant. The office will be open at 7:00 p. m. as usual and as this is the last request to be made of the members, I trust that all those who can, will make their contribution of one-half day's pay to the American red cross war disaster fund. Remember the date: Wednesday, March 25, 1942.


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NEW DUES PLAN FOR LOCAL 342

BY LOMBA: At the last meeting of Local 342, the membership voted and passed the resolution making a fixed amount of dues $5.00 per month for journeymen and $3.75 per month for apprentices.

Brother C. D. Gibbon asks that the members come in and pay up their dues and assessments to April 1, 1942; this new dues plan will go into effect at that time.

In the future your attendance will be recorded in a book at the meeting. Be sure to sign your name.

Champions

On Friday, March 14th, the steamfitters' basketball team held their annual dinner at the Club Lido in San Francisco. Brothers G. Madsen, C. D. Gibbon, O. T. Davis, M. Scott and W. Scott went along to make sure the boys did not stray from the path of righteousness. From the reports I hear, the dinner was a huge success. To prove that an army marches on its stomach, the steamfitters followed their annual dinner by defeating the Poly engineers 42 to 33 and bringing to Local 342 a gold trophy. This was without a doubt the best game of the year played by our fellows. Captain Pete Callaghan scored a total of 20 points to be high man for the game. The members of this team played a superb game and all were outstanding. Mart Scott and Fred Tauby did a good job with the team and much of its success belongs to them.

Bowling

Now that basketball season is over, how about some bowling?

Harry Kling and John Sullivan have gone to the Kodiack job in Alaska. If any of the members desire information on this job, inquire at the office.

Bill Greenwood was inducted into the army on the 22nd of February. Brother Al Dehm is serving with the navy.

The $20 cash award was awarded to Omar Basted.

Sick List

L. Walker is at the Highland hospital; N. Brushaber is at the Livermore hospital; W. Winters is at the Napa hospital; H. Golden is at home.

REPORTS SHOW FOOD COSTS STILL MOUNTING

Increases in Important Staples Reported by the Department of Labor

Retail prices of foods continued their upward climb during the last half of February, the department of labor reported recently.

Among the items which cost the housewives more are pork chops, up 3 cents a pound; oranges, up 8 per cent, and canned tomatoes, up 4 per cent. Smaller increases were reported in most cities on wheat flour, chuck roast, white bread, sugar and milk.

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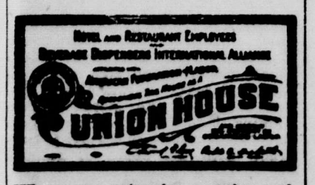
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Labor Department Officials Declare Strikes Will Not Hamper Defense Program

"The nation need have no fear of any major strikes for the duration of the war." That assurance was given the house appropriations committee recently by Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins and her principal lieutenant, Assistant Secretary Dan W. Tracy.

Agreements between management and organized labor, these officials said, are guarantees that production will continue without serious interruption. Miss Perkins said there may be "wildcat strikes" from time to time, but they will be small and will be promptly crushed by the "combined efforts of labor and industry."

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Facing the Facts

with PHILIP PEARL

Wars breed political revolutions. This war is no exception. It may bring about political revolutions not only in foreign countries, but right here in the United States.

The political set-up in the United States today is antiquated. It dates from the civil war. It is unwieldy, illogical and confused. Thus we have in the democratic party the liberal new dealers side by side with the reactionary southern democrats. And in the republican party we find an impossible conglomeration of western progressives and rock-bound conservatives.

The last world war brought communism to Russia. It brought socialism and finally fascism to Italy. It wound up with nazism in Germany. In America it finally hatched the new deal.

What is going to happen after this war? There is no question in our minds that America and her allies will win this war. But at what price? What will the aftermath of the war do to America? Will it bring about political revolution?

A Glimpse Into the Future

These are questions to which we must give serious thought right now.

Great Britain, it seems to us, is headed toward communism, or some modified form of it. The same trend, at a somewhat slower pace, is discernible already in America.

Now irrespective of the weaknesses and contradictions inherent in America's present political structure, we find it vastly superior to any form of communism or fascism we have yet seen in operation. But will it withstand the pressure of post-war upheavals?

The best thing that could happen to the American two-party system after the war would be a re-alignment of the two parties into one which would be frankly liberal and another which would be steadfastly conservative. This is the best development we can look forward to and it would be an improvement over the present set-up. But will we get it? Will the system of private enterprise, private capital and private profit survive.

Not if it continues to pursue its present, piggish, unintelligent policies. Private industry and private capital today are doing everything within their power—albeit unintentionally—to drive this country to communism.

This is a serious charge, but we have facts with which to back it up. We are making these statements not as a prophet of doom but in the hope that it will wake up American businessmen to the danger of their present course and influence them to change their stupid, suicidal policies immediately.

The Suicide Squads

The American Federation of Labor, since the turn of the century, has been America's most formidable barrier against the infiltration of communism. The AFL has fought and stamped out communism wherever it has reared its head within the movement. It has constantly preached the affinity of interest between employer and employe. It has vigorously combatted phoney class-consciousness. It has opposed punitive taxation and legislation which would cripple business. It has sought to collaborate with business on a friendly basis. It has always defended the profit motive.

Yet now private business is doing its best to drive the American Federation of Labor into the camp of the communists.

How long, do you suppose, are American workers going to take such treatment? Where are they going to turn after the war when jobs become scarce and suffering becomes acute?

Before it is too late, we warn American business and the American press to get wise to themselves. The American Federation of Labor detests communism with every fibre of its being. It will fight communism in America to the last ditch. But will it be able to stem the tides of class hate now being whipped up by the suicide squads of American business

Organization is universal. The trade-union idea is co-existent with civilization.

LADIES' AUXILIARY NEWS

How the Women Are Helping Through Their Organizations

CARMEN'S AUXILIARY, No. 192

SOCIAL MEETING

The regular social meeting of carmen's auxiliary will be held today, Friday, March 20th, at 2 p. m. The executive board meeting to be held at 1 p. m. as usual.

Sisters, why not call on any potential member you know and invite her to come along to our friendly "get-together." We do have some enjoyable times, so telephone to that member now, and tell her you will stop by for her.

NOTES

Those members taking the red cross course in first aid are proving themselves highly proficient and may be seen any Tuesday morning in the classroom carrying out their practical demonstration on splints, artificial respiration, etc. Which brings to mind that most vital thought, "Buy defense bonds or stamps, and buy some more . . . keep on buying, 'till we've won this war." And remembering too, to always demand the union label.

SARA HOAGLAND,
Press Correspondent.

PRINTERS' AUXILIARY, No. 26

Our 32nd anniversary was observed on Charter day, March 16th, at the Coit hotel.

Two of our three remaining charter members were present. Mrs. H. B. Lawson and Mrs. J. F. Patterson cut our birthday cake and spoke briefly on the events and achievements of No. 26 during the past thirty-two years. Mrs. Fanny Oman was unable to be with us because of illness.

Mrs. Seward, retiring vice-president, installed Mrs. F. M. Chilson who was re-elected president. President Chilson then installed her officers, Mrs. Evelyn Ewing, vice president; Mrs. V. E. Peterson, secretary(incumbent); Mrs. E. Ferguson, treasurer (incumbent; Mrs. George Stiffler, chaplain; Mrs. Frank Fee, guide, and the writer as press correspondent (incumbent).

Mrs. Lydia McDill (incumbent); Mrs. H. B. Lawson, Mrs. H. Stapleton and Mrs. Wm. Bunn was elected members to complete the executive committee.

President Chilson thanked her officers and standing committee members of the past year for their work and cooperation.

Next regular business meeting will be on Thursday, April 2nd, at 411 28th street.

FRANCES E. HEINRICHS,
Press Correspondent.

MACHINISTS' AUXILIARY, No. 97

Several officers were absent at our last meeting and many thanks go to the members who filled in for them. Sister Valia Hill acted as chaplain, Sister Virginia Kyes as sentinel, and Sisters Gladys Harvey, Anita Seihe and Emma Cooksey on the finance committee.

The application of Emma Silva was accepted; she was sponsored by Sisters Almeida and Dixon.

It was good to see Sister Katie Phillips again after quite a long absence from our meetings. We hope you'll come again soon.

After the meeting several games of bingo were played; awards went to Sisters Gerholdt, Tomsic, Feddersen, Cooksey, Nicholas, Binger, Vercelli, Almeida, Logue and Olive Harvey.

COMING EVENTS

March 24th—White elephant sale. If you have any "white elephants" for this sale, please be sure to bring them Tuesday night.

April 8th—Finance committee meeting at the home of Florence Shaffer.

April 11th—Dance at Jenny Lind hall, 2229 Telegraph avenue. Admission is 30 cents for the ladies and 40 cents for the gentlemen. This includes tax.

April 17th—Luncheon and tour through the Remar bakery. Luncheon is 25 cents and served at 12 noon. This is sponsored by the past presidents' club who will appreciate your attendance.

April 28th—Mystery box to be given away after the meeting. Do you have your tickets?

SHUT INS

Sisters Rose Perata, Alice Haley, Marian Stall, Tessie O'Leary and Florence Shaffer have been confined to their homes by illness. Sister Beatrice Bengson is in the Highland hospital and doing as well as can be expected. Brother Matt Nicholas has also been confined to his home by illness. We sincerely hope all these members and Bro. Nicholas are much improved.

WHIST

Despite the storm, our St. Patrick's whist was a success. Chairman Mary Logue and her committee wish to thank all those who braved the storm and came to the whist. Thanks also go to those who donated cakes and prizes. Your cooperation is appreciated by the committee. Awards went to D. C. Devlin, Eva Hare, Tillie Bartmess, F. Creighton, H. Rankin, G. Peters, Naomi Vercelli, G. Pereua, Ora Walker, Rose Williams and Mary Logue.

Floating awards went to Tillie Bartmess and W. A. Hill. The "booby" awards went to Mrs. F. Creighton and M. E. Haskell. Cakes were awarded to Ora Walker and Mr. Nelson.

Remember Pearl Harbor! Let's do our part to help defeat the enemy.

ALPHA E. FEDDERSEN,
Press Correspondent.

LABOR TEMPLE AUXILIARY

RUMMAGE SALE

Don't forget the rummage sale Wednesday, April 8th. Be sure and notify Chairman Edna Paterson, FRuitvale 3249, or Bessie Hunt, PIedmont 8170, if you have no way of bringing the things to us. We will be glad to make some arrangement to pick them up.

BUSINESS MEETING

Next business meeting, April 7th, will be nomination and election of officers. (Don't forget to pay your dues to be eligible to vote).

NOTES

Johnny Quinn, husband of Josephine Quinn, is getting around a little more. We are sure glad to hear you are feeling better, Johnnie. Josephine, we hope you will be able to come to the meetings soon. We miss you.

I have received no reports of illness so I do hope that means you are all well.

WHAT WE MUST DO

Make sure your family and friends are registered.

Demand the union label and shop card.

Attend your meetings.

Help the auxiliary on red cross day.

Read and abide by the "We Don't Patronize" list.

Purchase defense bonds and stamps.

BESSIE HUNT, Secretary.

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Telephone Connections Reach All-Time Peak

The war and its demand and effect upon telephone operations was the dominant keynote of the annual report of the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph company for 1941, recently issued by N. R. Powley, president, who stated that "the expanding program and accelerated tempo of national defense throughout 1941 made for an unprecedented activity and a multitude of problems in every phase of our company's operations."

Copies of the annual report were being distributed here today as an informative and valuable textbook on the company's operations, according to M. H. Maddocks, district manager of the Oakland exchange.

Powley stated that never in its history had the company experienced a greater demand for telephone service nor has its expansion of facilities and personnel been larger or more rapid. The number of telephone connections reached an all-time high.

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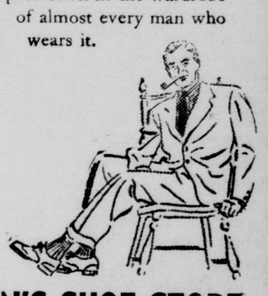
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WAGES IN WARTIME

Corporation profits in 1941 reached a peak unsurpassed in any other year of American history. In the same year, 34 per cent of American families received incomes of less than $1,000, an amount below even a bare subsistence living level for a family of four. Less than one-third of American families received an income of $2000, the minimum adequate to maintain health and efficiency for a family of five. Corporation profits on this scale mean millions of dollars going to comparatively few individuals. The highest paid workers, however, receive at best only a minimum comfort income. Under present conditions, a policy of "no wage increases" would enrich the wealthy and powerful, while wage earners could make no progress, and would even go backward because of higher living costs.

Total corporation profits amounted to $7.2 billion in 1941, 31 per cent above 1940 and 71 per cent above 1939. This figure exactly equals the peak profits of 1929, and exceeds the huge war profits of world war 1. At this level, many companies can pay increased wages and still earn a more than adequate return on their investment without increasing prices.

An income of over $2,000 a year is necessary to support a family of five at a "health and efficiency" standard of living. Yet the large majority of American wage earners (69 per cent of all American families) earned less than this last year. Even this standard cannot be considered wholly adequate. It makes possible the expenditure of only about $75 a year for medical care, while medical authorities claim that it takes $300 a year to provide adequate care for a family of five. Holding workers' income at low levels undermines health, stamina and morale. Strong manpower on the battle line, production line and civilian defense line is just as vital as guns, tanks and planes.

The American Federation of Labor is keenly aware of this problem. Our proposal is this. First, wage increases should be granted by companies able to do so, and wage earners should be allowed to achieve and maintain a decent standard of living. Then the following methods can be used to divert excess buying power into constructive channels: (1) Increase social security taxes for the purpose of increasing benefits, expanding coverage and providing for temporary and permanent disability. This would give workers a greatly needed service, build national health and divert buying power from the purchase of scarce goods. (2) Increase the sale of defense bonds by drives for voluntary purchase of bonds; our nation-wide drive will divert $1 billion of buying power to this patriotic use. (3) Increase income taxes for those who have surplus incomes over and above that needed for health and efficiency. (4) Increase corporation income taxes. (5) Where recipients are willing, pay wage increases in defense bonds or stamps. (6) Ration scarce goods on a strictly fair and equal basis at reasonable price levels.—AFL Monthly Survey.

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Injunction Against A. B. 1400 Granted By Judge Sheldon of Los Angeles

by EDWARD VANDELEUR, Secretary, California State Federation of Labor

Proving the correctness of the stand taken from the very beginning by the California State Federation of Labor, an injunction has just been issued by Judge Sheldon of the Los Angeles county superior court, restraining the state insurance commissioner from enforcing the much-disputed new amendments to the insurance code, embodied in A. B. 1400, against fraternal organizations and labor unions which pay benefits to their members.

As will be recalled, the federation notified all the unions several months ago that they should do nothing whatsoever in regard to A. B. 1400, which was passed at the last session of the legislature and was considered by some people as requiring all unions paying benefits to incorporate. This advice was issued by the federation after it was convinced by a thorough study of the bill that its provisions flatly contradicted certain basic provisions of the insurance code which show clearly and unequivocally that labor unions can under no circumstances be considered to be "transacting life or disability insurance."

This being the case, the federation prepared to carry the fight against the first attempt to apply A. B. 1400 to the unions into court. Confident of the outcome of such a move, it followed up its first advice to the unions with a number of reminders to them to make no effort to comply with the new regulations, such as taking steps to incorporate. In the opinion of the federation, this would be not only a needless expense and sheer waste of money (at a time when organized labor must use every available dollar to support its campaign to defeat Slave Bill 877 and to keep labor's radio program, "This is Our America," on the air), but might seriously weaken and even seriously jeopardize organized labor's stand in the matter.

The great majority of the unions showed their confidence in the federation's judgment and ability to wage a successful fight to protect its affiliates from being victimized by these discriminatory measures by following its advice. Some, however, permitted themselves to be stampeded into compliance with the new amendments, although it was evident to all that their legality was, to say the least, highly dubious.

Judge Sheldon's recent decision justifies not only the federation's position, but also the faith and loyalty of those unions who, by supporting the federation's recommendations, made organized labor's opposition to A. B. 1400 so powerful and effective. As for those unions, which ignored the federation's position, it is to be hoped they will have learned their lesson and in the future work in harmony with the rest of the labor movement.

Teamsters' Special Committee Meets In Chicago

Ten representatives of the brotherhood of teamsters met in the Sherman hotel, Chicago, yesterday, to discuss problems of the teaming crafts, also to gather information as to tire rationing by the federal government.

The committee, representing the brotherhood in ten districts of the United States, was appointed several weeks ago as a "steering" committee and to report all matters affecting the teamsters to the general office.

Charles W. Real, secretary-treasurer of Teamsters' Union, Local No. 70, is a member of the committee and attended the Chicago meeting.

Corporations Show Huge Gains in '41

Earnings Keep Steady Pace With Mounting Production, Says the "Wall Street Journal"

Profits which big business is piling up, despite taxes, recall the lush year of 1929, according to the "Wall Street Journal."

That conservative and usually reliable publication declared recently that earnings have been steadily going up as production hits new highs.

Quoting from a report of the federal reserve board, the "Journal" pointed out that 629 large industrial companies "cleared up" profits of $2,100,000,000 in 1941. This compares with profits by the same companies of $1,800,000,000 in 1940 and $1,400,000,000 in 1939.

The railroads were shown to have reported profits, after paying interest on bonds, of $502,000,000 last year, compared with $191,000,000 in 1940 and $93,000,000 in 1939.

Workers' Smaller Share

An analysis of reserve board figures, the "Journal" declares, reveals that the big profit makers are the companies with large defense contracts. Smaller concerns handling civilian goods are less fortunate, the "Journal" said.

In a report showing how the national income was distributed last year, the department of commerce disclosed that, despite greater employment, longer hours and higher wage rates, the income of workers increased less than that of other groups.

Their 25 per cent gain, the department said, compared with a 31 per cent increase of profits by unincorporated business and a 40 per cent increase by farmers. The profits of corporations were declared to be 4.5 per cent greater than the record profits of 1929.

Corporations have done so well, in fact, that they were able to more than double their undistributed profits, after paying taxes and meeting other deductions from income.

Buy Defense Bonds and Stamps

TYPOS TO MEET IN DANISH HALL, SUNDAY

Oakland Typographical Union No. 36 will hold their regular March meeting Sunday in Danish hall at 10 a. m.

Members have been requested by Secretary Jack Austin to make a special effort to attend this important meeting.

The sick committee for April was announced today by Austin. It is made up of the following members: William Bunn, chairman; John Fraser, vice chairman; W. G. Hittle, F. E. J. Hoberg, F. N. Hoberg, J. C. Hollis and O. C. Homeyer.

Register to vote in the AFL building now! Let's defeat the "hot cargo" bill in November.

BUTCHERS' UNION CALLS MEETING HERE SUNDAY

To Take Action On Wage Scales

All butchers in Alameda county, affiliated with Butchers' Union, Local No. 120, will meet Sunday in special session in the Oakland AFL building at 10 a. m.

A report by the wage scale committee will be made at this meeting and all union butchers are urged to attend.

The union has made a request of the employers for a wage increase of $10 a week. A committee from the union, the central labor council and the local food council have been in negotiations for the past week trying to bring about a proper adjustment of the difficulty.

At the meeting Sunday the entire matter will be submitted to the membership for further action.

STROKES FROM THE BRUSH OF LOCAL No. 127

BY HUGHIE RUTLEDGE: The following brothers still on the sick list: W. Seitentopf improving; Harry Roff improving; J. H. Thomas' condition about the same; J. McCamant still in Highland hospital, improving; Chas. Kimmick improving; Ted Ove about the same; Chas. Nussbaum, at home improving, and Al Cunial in Providence hospital with fractured ankle, improving.

With the list of large projects in last week's issue can be added the following: The representatives of both the building trades and the central labor council met with the commissioners of the Oakland housing authority last week and it was agreed that both groups would attempt to have the federal authorities immediately make available funds for the construction of at least 2000 dwelling units in this district. With the shortage of materials due to defense priorities, small home construction has practically ceased and with many thousands of families coming into the district, the housing situation is very acute. It was brought out that the local authority has all the means and facilities for handling this construction program if the finances are made available so we should have more information of this large program next week.

The political committee to handle the hot cargo issue in the coming election is really cooking with gas. They are requesting that all representatives take it upon themselves to see that every one of their members is registered to vote this year. Also all members are requested to sign the petition for the guarantee payroll group, commonly known as Ham and Eggs. This petition is in the office and any of the boys finding themselves in the vicinity of the hall should come in and sign it.

Wonder when our business representative's wife is going to jar loose with some of the black and white she don't like? Wonder how many of the wives of the state conference delegates will go to the conference? Wonder why (Poker) Kessell is being such a good boy these days? Wonder why the good old K. 9 club don't have the good old wet meetings they used to have on Saturdays? Wonder when big (Babe) Keller and (shall not work) Larson, along with (wildcat) Kelley are going on the wagon?

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